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PSC SETS INTERVENTION DEADLINE IN MISSOURI-AMERICAN WATER COMPANY ISRS REQUEST

JEFFERSON CITY—Missouri-American Water Company has filed an application with the Missouri Public Service Commission seeking to change the infrastructure system replacement surcharge (ISRS) on the bills of its St. Louis County customers. Missouri-American Water Company first established an ISRS on customer bills in December of 2003.

Currently residential customers in the Company's St. Louis County service area pay an ISRS of 11 cents per 1,000 gallons of water used. Missouri-American Water seeks to increase that to 16 cents per 1,000 gallons of water used.

The infrastructure system replacements for which Missouri-American seeks ISRS recognition are either: 1) mains and associated valves and hydrants installed as replacements for existing facilities that have worn out or were in a deteriorated condition; or 2) a main cleaning and/or relining project; or 3) infrastructure facility relocations due to the construction or improvements of a highway, road, street, public way or other public work required by or on behalf of the United States, the State of Missouri, a political subdivision of the State of Missouri, or another entity having the power of eminent domain.

Applications to intervene and participate in this case must be filed no later than **August 24, 2006**, with the Secretary of the Missouri Public Service Commission, P.O. Box 360, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102. Copies of the application should be sent to: Mary S. Sullivan, Corporate Counsel & Assistant Secretary, Missouri-American Water Company, 727 Craig Road, St. Louis, Missouri 63141; and the Office of the Public Counsel, P.O. Box 2230, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102.

The Office of the Public Counsel is a separate state agency which represents the general public in matters before the Commission. Individual citizens wishing to comment should contact either the Office of the Public Counsel (Governor Office Building, 200 Madison Street, P.O. Box 2230, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102, telephone 573-751-4857) or the Public Service Commission Staff (P.O. Box 360, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102, telephone 1-800-392-4211).